

PATENT APPLICATION  
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants	:	François GIRARD et al.	)	Group Art Unit 3618
Appln. No.	:	10/570,347	)	Examiner Katy E. MEYER
Docket No.	:	P29468	)	Confirmation No. 5450
Customer No.	:	07055	)	
I.A. Filed	:	September 1, 2004	)	
Title	:	CROSS-COUNTRY SKI SYSTEM PROVIDED WITH A DIRECT BEARING LATERAL SURFACE	)	

**REPLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.112  
TO THE OFFICE ACTION OF MARCH 30, 2011**

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Sir:

In reply to the non-final Office action dated March 30, 2011, please enter the following amendment.

Reconsideration and withdrawal of the grounds of rejection are respectfully requested for reasons given in the "Remarks" section, below.